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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Takeroh KURENUMA, et al.

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TONER CARTRIDGE, IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, METHOD OF FOR:

RECYCLING TONER CARTRIDGE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

REFERENCES

Submitted herewith is a Japanese Decision of Rejection (English translation only) for the
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